

# Rothenbuhler Honey Bee Research Laboratory

Herrick Archives Building PH 384

## A. IDENTIFICATION & LOCATION

### 1. Name

1.1 The Board of Trustees officially named the building the "Walter C. Rothenbuhler Honey Bee Research Laboratory" on August 23, 1989 after Walter C. Rothenbuhler of Worthington. Mr. Rothenbuhler spent 21 years on the faculty at OSU and retired in 1985. He was a renowned pioneer in honeybee genetic research.

1.2 Alternate names noted:

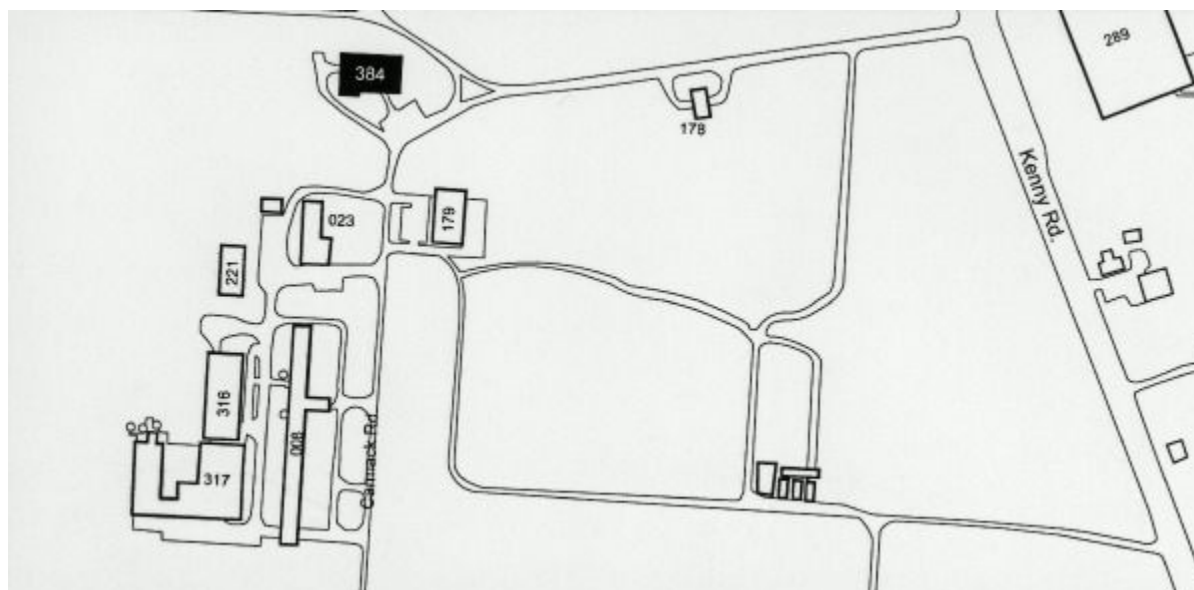
Bee Laboratory

Bee Laboratory Replacement

### 2. Location

2.1 Located at 2501 Carmack Rd.

2.2 North of the Waterman Farm area near Carmack Rd.



For identification of other buildings shown, see Appendix A.

### 3. General Description

3.1 Type of construction:

Wood frame other skin.

3.2 No. of stories: One.

3.3 Gross floor area of 6,359 sq. ft.

## **B. SIGNIFICANT DATES**

1. The architect/engineer contract was awarded on
2. The schematic design approval was on
3. The design development document approval was approved on
4. Construction document approval was on
5. Bid opening on August 25, 1987.
6. Contracts were awarded to contractors on March 3, 1998.
7. Construction began in April of 1988.
8. The date of completion was
9. The building was dedicated on October 20

## **C. MISCELLANEOUS**

1. The old bee lab was located in a 70-year-old poultry barn at 2396 Fyffe Road.

## **D. PLANNING AND CONSTRUCTION**

1. University associates who worked on the project include: Project Captain: Heretta, Thomas
2. Architect: John Kincheloe, Philip Markwood
3. On August 25, 1987 the Board of Trustees awarded contracts to the following contractors:

General: Robert H. Johns Co. (Columbus, Ohio)

Plumbing: Holdridge Mechanical (New Albany, Ohio)

HVAC: C.R. Legner Co. (Columbus, Ohio)

Electric: Buckeye Electric (Dayton, Ohio)

## **E. COST**

1. The budget for the project was \$541,619.

## **F. PHOTOGRAPHS**

1. In Photoarchives:
2. Other:

The Columbus Dispatch - March 31, 1985